

AFTER ALASKA GOLD.

Mackenzie, Stratton and Casey After the Yellow Metal.

BIG EXPEDITION FORMED

WHICH WILL PROSPECT ALASKA ON A GIANT SCALE.

W. S. Stratton, the Cripple Creek millionaire, will back the Enterprise—Steamers and Steam Launches—Will Form Part of the Equipment—And These Will Be Loaded With 500 Tons of Provisions—A Sawmill Will Be Taken Along and a Hydraulic Mining Plant—Will Furnish Everything but Timber, Water and Gold—A New Channel—Ocean Steamer Can Navigate the Yukon For 500 Miles—Pioneer Miner Arrested—Charged With Setting Fire to the Moe & Roanoke Mill—Activity in New Mexico—A Large Hoisting Engine.

Denver, Oct. 14.—James H. Mackenzie and James Casey, of Cripple Creek, left last night for Seattle. They will be the advance guard of an expedition that intends to thoroughly explore Alaska on a systematic scale. They are backed by W. S. Stratton, the millionaire mining king of Cripple Creek, who has made millions in mining. Their intention is to prospect Alaska on a large scale, and for that purpose the company will provide supplies and machinery of the most approved pattern.

Casey and Mackenzie are not men of wealth, but have a practical experience in Leadville, Cripple Creek and Aspen. The latter goes at a big salary, having resigned the superintendency of the Portland mine, where he drew \$10,000 a year. At Seattle contracts will be awarded for building a river steamer or probably two, to be used in sections that it can be shipped to St. Michaels.

Three steam launches will also be built for tenders and the boat when ready will be loaded with 500 TONS OF PROVISIONS.

calculated to last for two years. Twenty-five of the best prospectors of the west have been engaged to make locations, and three more will be hired on the coast with a special view to knowledge of places. The river steamer will be equipped with powerful steam pumps, placed on the boat so the captain can prospect along the banks. No time will be lost, and if the results are good, the men will at once file locations.

"We are going up to that country to get our share of the good things if they are there, and we hardly see how we can miss it," said Mr. Mackenzie. "We will take with us a saw mill complete, a hydraulic mining plant, operated by means of a hose from the deck of the steamer with pumps and everything else we can possibly need. About the middle of February Mr. Casey and half of our force will be started."

OVER CHILKOOT PASS

and the rest of the expedition will go around by St. Michaels and up the Yukon river. "We will charter a steamer at Seattle, load everything on it, the charter bringing us to St. Michaels. Mr. Mackenzie will charter a launch, and we will charter a launch to take our supplies, the launch launches taking their share, and when we are ready we will steam away up the river and will join the first part of our expedition at some point on the coast."

"According to our plans at present, when we reach the country our prospecting party will divide into two and will go out over the country. They WILL KEEP IN TOUCH

with the main party and will be kept supplied with provisions. Should any prospecting party make a discovery that proves good, the whole party will be concentrated at that point as soon as possible and we will thus be able to take up all the best part of the country. Having our saw mill, we can quickly build our own town and make all our preparations to mine in the proper way. We are not going for placer mining alone, but will look for quartz leads as well. We will depend upon the country for absolutely nothing but timber, water and gold. We will furnish the rest."

"Mr. Casey is one of the best known mining men in the west. He was one of the earliest prospectors in Cripple Creek and discovered the American Eagle and John A. Logan mines on Lead Hill, out of which he made himself independent. Mr. Mackenzie is a native born Canadian, and has many friends in Ottawa, Canada, and plans have already been made if anything worth while is discovered to secure concessions from the Dominion government for timber and other claims. "Our orders," continued Mackenzie, "are to spare no expense to make the expedition a COMPLETE SUCCESS.

We will take with us everything that we can possibly need. We expect simply to prospect. "It will cost us about \$10,000 for a ship to transport us to St. Michaels, and from that point we will depend absolutely upon our own exertions. You know that it has been impossible to get a saw mill through to the Yukon, because the transportation companies have a monopoly on the lumber. We will not be bothered with any such monopoly. We will carry everything necessary to build a city and, as we will have the men along with us, we will not be bothered with any of the usual expenses. We are feeling very enthusiastic over the scheme and our plans are so well made that failure is almost impossible. If the gold is there we are sure to get more than our share of it."

A NEW CHANNEL.

Ocean Steamer Can Navigate the Yukon For 500 Miles.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.—The Corwin brought the news from St. Michael that Father Barnum, who has conducted a mission for many years there, is authorized by the statement that a new channel not yet known to the world exists at the mouth of the Yukon river. He states that it is close to the South side and will permit ocean steamers to avoid shallow bar and proceed up the river for a distance of 500 miles. This winter Collector of Customs Anders and Captain Peterson will explore and endeavor to establish the new channel.

PIONEER MINER ARRESTED.

Charged With Setting Fire to the Moe & Roanoke Mill.

Mohaveville, Ill., Oct. 14.—At a late hour last evening Charles Harris, a pioneer gold miner, was arrested for incendiarism and charged with having burned the Moe & Roanoke mill, which was burned last night. Harris was arrested last night, completely destroying \$25,000 worth of machinery and 15,000 feet of lumber, a lot of quantity of long, heavy and heavy machinery. The Moe & Roanoke mines were

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bottom there is a four-foot body of ore that will carry average values of 12 to 15 per cent copper, 10 per cent silver and 5 to 10 gold to the ton, while a portion of the vein will go much higher than this.

The development of the Copper Mountain it would seem that the ledge was wedge shaped with the big end down, as, as sinking progresses the ore zone are growing larger and the values higher. The property will rank as a regular producer.

The property of the Beaver Lake Copper company, in the same locality, also showing a ledge with nice body of ore exposed in the bottom of the shaft.

Work in the development of this property has been retarded somewhat of late owing to the fact that the company is putting in a whim to replace the hand windlass, but it is expected that as soon as this is in place and in operation ore consignments will be sent.

At the Galena, in which Mr. Anderson is also interested, the company is working a force of three men in the sinking of the shaft, which is a large body of low grade ore in which there are strata of mineral running 35 per cent lead and 80 ounces in silver to the ton, while the indications are very encouraging.

Work is progressing also in the running of a tunnel on another portion of the property, and it is expected that the company will be able to make a shipment of high grade rock within the next 30 days.

Besides the properties mentioned there are a number of other prospects in which the outlook is encouraging, among them being the Skylark, on which development work is being pushed, and the indications are that within the next 10 or 20 feet the tunnel on this property will cut the ledge.

Taking it all in all, there is considerable activity in the district, and it is well to say that the company who has made an inspection of it of late has been very favorably impressed with the heavy surface mineralization of the camp.

THE SOUTH SWANSEA.

Marked Improvement in This Property as Depth is Attained.

Reports were in circulation yesterday and the day before to the effect that the South Swansea, at Silver City, but these rumors were denied at the office of the company, although it was stated that the mine was looking unusually well and that as depth was attained there was a marked improvement in the size of the ledge and the value of the ore.

A day or two ago, the shaft of the South Swansea, upon reaching the 625 level, furnished evidence that all was going well with the mine. At this point a drill hole was run into the vein and the footwall a distance of 20 inches and when the shot was fired a fine lead of mineral was disclosed, and as there was good ore beyond, the extent of the deposit was not ascertained, but the showing was splendid and was well to say that the rock disclosed silver values to the extent of 130 ounces in silver to the ton, with excellent lead contents.

As the break in the ore was made for the purpose of putting in a wall plate, investigation in that direction will not be pushed any further until the 625 level is reached, when a station will be put out and an attempt made to sink the ore and drift run both ways on the vein, but The Herald is informed that the ore uncovered on the footwall is not a continuation of what has been followed the shaft all the way from the 600 level, and it is expected that when the vein is opened by a cross-cut the showing will be something to brag about.

As it is the officers of the company are well pleased over the fact that with deep sinking the vein is getting stronger, while the metallic values are constantly improving.

A consignment of carbonate ore from the mine is now at the sampler, a hundred ton shipment of the usual grade of mineral was shipped from the mine yesterday and another lot of the same size is now being loaded on the car.

It is the aim and intention of the company to develop the South Swansea in a thorough manner, and with this view the shaft will be sunk and levels run until this property has the honor of being one of the deepest mines in the district.

CALEB RHODES MINE.

Hathenbruck Brings Rich Rock From the Uintah.

Provo, Oct. 14.—F. W. C. Hathenbruck returned last evening from the Uintah country, where he has been for several months mining, prospecting and leasing mines, as well as practicing medicine. He reports that he has secured a rich mine, and is enjoying the best of health.

What Mr. Hathenbruck is most interested in is the famous Caleb Rhodes gold mine, which is located on the reservation and which was owned by an old man Rhodes since the early settlement of Utah. That there are riches to be found in the mine cannot be denied, after looking at the certificates of assay shown by Hathenbruck. One shows 17,000 ounces in gold per ton and another goes 3,857 in silver.

Just what steps are being taken towards leasing these claims could not be gathered from the gentleman at present, but he stated that at a later date he could disclose what is proposed.

The Ben Harrison.

J. J. Trenam, manager and vice president of the Ben Harrison Mining company, whose property is located in the Beaver Lake district, will leave for the east this morning on business for the company, and upon his return a boarding house will be erected at the mine, and it is expected that ore shipments will then begin.

In speaking of the mine, Mr. Trenam states that in the incline shaft a body of ore 14 inches wide has been disclosed all of which is pay mineral, an average of which, conservatively taken, runs 5 ounces silver, 25 oz in gold and 10 per cent in copper to the ton.

This is an excellent showing and from a letter received from the mine yesterday it is learned that the ledge is continuing in the development work progresses and that more mineral is coming in on the footwall side of the vein in which it is believed the gold values are greater.

The Park City Creole.

The regular annual stockholders' meeting of the Creole Mining company will be held at Park City on Monday of next week and it is understood that at the same time arrangements will be perfected for the regular shipment of ore from the Creole mine, which, The Herald is informed, is materially improving with development, and it is stated that the ore bodies now exposed in this property are larger and carry higher values than any that have been previously encountered in the operation of this promising property.

A number of English stockholders in the Creole are expected in the city within a short time, among the number being Basil Brandbridge-Bell, who holds a large block of the stock.

Ore and Bullion.

The ore and bullion receipts yesterday were as follows: McCormick & Co.—Bullion, \$1,150. Commercial National Bank—Ores, \$3,000.

T. R. Jones & Co.—Bullion, \$1,200; ores, \$1,000. Bamberger & McMillan—Ores, \$8,443. National Bank of the Republic—Ores, \$1,600; gold bars, \$1,500.

DREW THE COLOR LINE.

GEO. GANAWAY WANTS DAMAGES FROM THE THEATRE.

Was Ejected From a Public Meeting—Ed. W. Duncan Sues the Home Fire Insurance Company of New York—Miscellaneous Court Notes.

The trial of the damage suit of George H. Ganaway against the Salt Lake Dramatic association was begun yesterday before Judge Cherry and a jury, with John M. Zane representing the plaintiff and Attorney Barlow Ferguson for the defendant. The plaintiff, who is a colored man, brought suit to recover \$10,000 damages, claiming that on May 25, 1895, he was lawfully and peacefully occupying a stall in the theatre when a public meeting, to which the general public was invited was in progress and that without cause or excuse he was violently and forcibly ejected, to his damage in the sum named, for which judgment is prayed.

The hearing was in progress when court adjourned until this morning.

Sues On An Insurance Policy.

Ed W. Duncan has entered suit against the Home Insurance company of New York and others to recover \$1,146.10, alleged to be due on a fire insurance policy for that amount, which was the residence of G. H. Button, which was burnt down. The plaintiff had a mortgage for \$1,000 on the house and now seeks judgment against the insurance company for that amount and interest, alleging that he has made application for payment on the policy and that the company refuses to pay without any good grounds for so doing.

Miscellaneous Notes.

In accordance with the decree of the courts in the case between H. G. McMillan and the United States, involving the right of Mr. McMillan to retain certain fees collected when he was clerk of the Third district court, judgment was yesterday entered against Mr. McMillan for \$1,280, and the same was promptly satisfied.

M. C. Moon is suing John Beck and the Salt Lake Nursery company to recover \$500, alleged to be due on a promissory note.

Real Estate Transfers.

Abstracts of instruments filed with the recorder Oct. 14, 1895, compiled by the Security Abstract Co.:

Benjamin F. Bell.

case argued and submitted. Amie H. Ross vs. Arminia V. Mann et al.—Judgment for the plaintiff for \$1,927.51. Frederick A. Sweet was admitted to practice at the bar of the supreme court.

A Child's Health.

depends almost wholly on the mother's, not only before its birth but afterwards. A sick mother can't properly care for her child's health. A sick mother sometimes bears a healthy child, but it isn't to be expected. May be the baby will possess the appearance of health, but will lack stamina. Maybe the weakness will develop in a few years. Every woman should be particularly careful of her health during the period of gestation—when the child is really a part of herself. During all this time she should keep her body strong and pure and she should take proper precautions against her time of labor. For this purpose Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is prescribed. It has been used in thousands of cases with the most gratifying results. It is a tonic to the whole body, but particularly to the organs distinctly feminine. It so preserves the system for childbirth as to render it almost painless. It cures all female troubles and promotes regularity.

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Rio Grande Western Railway.

On Oct. 13, and again on Oct. 16 the Rio Grande Western makes a round trip rate of \$1.50 to Provo. Trains leave at 8 a. m., 8:45 a. m., 5 p. m. and 7:40 p. m. Same number of trains on the return trip.

Something to Depend On.

Mr. James Jones of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that he has been his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develop into diphtheria. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and a half dozen doses cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Trial bottles at Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

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